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SUBJECT: INCREASE IN REICHSBAHN TARIFFS FOR ALLIED MILITARY
TRAINS IN BERLIN

REF: BONN 02490; USBERLIN 0377

1. ALLIED MISSIONS IN SPEARATE LETTERS TO THE
REICHSBAHN IN LATE JANUARY REPLIED TO THE REICHSBAHN
LETTER OF 8 NOV 1976 BY ADVISING THE REICHSBAHN THATTHE
FOUR POWERS ALON WER COMPETENT FOR MATTERS CONCERNING
ALLIED MILITARY TRAINS BETWEEN BERLIN AND MARIENBORN. THE
REICHSBAHN WAS ADVISED TO ADDRESS PROPOSALS FOR THE
TARIFF CHANGE TO COMPETENT SOVIET AUTHORITIES.

2. THE FINANCE ABTEILUNG OF THE REICHSBAHN IN LETTER
DATED 18 FEB HAS REPLIED TO U.S. LETTER IN THE FOLLOWING
TERMS. QUOTE WITH RESPECT TO YOUR LETTER OF JANUARY 31, 1977,
WE DRAW YOURATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT FORWARDING
CHARGES FOR ALL SERVICES OF THE DEUTSCHE REICHSBAHN
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INCLUDING THOSE FOR SERVICES ON THE LINES TO AND FROM,
AS WELL AS WITHIN BERLIN (WEST), AREESTABLISHED BY
THE COMPETENT OFFICES OF THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC.

WE WOULD LIKE THEREFORE TO REMIND YOU OF OUR LETTER OF NOV 8,
1976 AND ONCE AGAIN EXPRESS THE EXPECTATION THAT THE
PAYMENT OF THE TRANSPORT CHARGES FOR SERVICES WHICH THE

DEUTSCHE REICHSBAHN PERFORMS FOR YOUR MILITARY UNITS
STATIONED IN BERLIN (WEST) WILL BE MADE BY YOUR SIDE
ACCORDING TO THE NEW RATES EFFECTIVE FEB. 1, 1977.

THE DEUTSCHE REICHSBAHN WILL BILL THE NEW RATES VALID
FROM FEB. 1, 1977 FOR THE ABOVE MENTIONED SERVICES TO THE
ACCOUNTS OF THE BUNDESBahn OF THE FRG. UNQUOTE.

3. FRENCH AND BRITISH HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED REPLIES TO
THEIR LETTERS, WHICH HAD SAME CONTENT AS OURS.
WE PLAN NO REPLY.
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